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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING
RECORDING AND REPRODUCTION IN DIGITAL
VIDEO CASSETTE TAPE RECORDER

SWORN STATEMENT OF GI-UP CHO

I, Gi-Up Cho, hereby declare as follows:

My name, residence and citizenship are indicated below.

I am currently a Senior Manager in the Intellectual Property Center for LG Electronics Inc. ("LGE"). In 1994, I was a member of the Patent Group in the Image Media Research Center of LGE. My responsibilities concerned patent prosecution for digital VHS technologies. As part of my duties in the Patent Group, I assisted in the preparation and filing of materials related to U.S. patent application 08/227,281 ("the '281 Application"), which issued as U.S. Patent 5,587,789 ("the '789 Patent") on December 24, 1996. I understand and believe that the '789 Patent reissued as U.S. RE38,868 on November 8, 2005.

In connection with my activities related to the '281 Application, I sought to have a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney ("Declaration") executed by

each of the co-inventors, Messrs. Je Hyung Lee, Soo Kyung Kim, Sang Joon Woo and Tae Seok Yang. I believe that I circulated to each of the co-inventors a draft of the '281 Application in both the Korean and English languages, and I confirmed that each of them read and understood it. I believe I also explained to each of them the general content of the Declaration. Thereafter, each of them authorized that the Declaration be signed on his behalf. In view of their authorizations, and also in view of my understanding at that time that such a signature procedure was acceptable, I had the Declaration signed on behalf of each of the co-inventors.

I understand and believe that the signed Declaration was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") on or about April 13, 1994.

The procedure described above for signing the Declaration on behalf of each of the co-inventors with authorization was undertaken in good faith and without any deceptive intent. I understood at the time that I was simply carrying out the intentions of the co-inventors as they had communicated to me.

I have now been informed that inventors must personally affix their signatures to their declarations. In view of this information, I am informed and believe that LGE has obtained the original signatures of Messrs. Lee, Kim, Woo and Yang on Supplemental Declarations.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed by me to be true. These statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and

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the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001
of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may
jeopardize the validity of RE38,868 that reissued from the '789 Patent.

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